



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kaoru Awaka, et al.

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For: Multiply-Accumulate Modules and Parallel Multipliers and Methods for Designing
Multiply-Accumulate

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EXTENSION OF TIME

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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicants respectfully petition for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response by one month in the above-identified Application from November 30, 2004 to December 30, 2004.

The fee for this one-month extension is \$120.00. Please charge this fee to Texas Instruments Incorporated, Deposit Account No. 20-0668. Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Please charge any and all necessary fees to said deposit account. **This form is submitted in triplicate.**

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